



(Amendment 16 to B. A. I. Order 276)

United States Department of Agriculture

BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY

AMENDMENT 16 TO B. A. I. ORDER 276—REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE PREPARATION, SALE, BARTER, EXCHANGE, SHIPMENT, AND IMPORTATION OF VIRUSES, SERUMS, TOXINS, AND ANALOGOUS PRODUCTS INTENDED FOR USE IN THE TREATMENT OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS

Pursuant to the authority conferred upon the Secretary of Agriculture by section 2 of the act of Congress approved February 2, 1903 (32 Stat. 792; 21 U. S. C. 111), and by the act of Congress approved March 4, 1913 (37 Stat. 832-833; 21 U. S. C. 151-158), and in order better to effectuate the purposes of these acts, Title 9, Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 101-121 [B. A. I. Order 276, August 18, 1922], as amended, is hereby further amended as follows:

(1) By adding to section 101.1 [sec. 1, reg. 1] a paragraph reading as follows:
(u) [par. 22] *Twenty-four hours*.—Time elapsing between any regular working hour of one day and any regular working hour of the following day.

(2) By revoking section 118.17 [par. 1, sec. 3, reg. 18], and substituting in lieu thereof the following section:

Sec. 118.17 *Simultaneous virus pigs; requirements*.—For use in the production of simultaneous virus, licensed establishments shall inoculate young nonimmune pigs of good quality with at least 2 cubic centimeters each of highly virulent virus. Such pigs when inoculated shall weigh not less than 40 pounds, nor more than 125 pounds.

(3) By revoking paragraph (b) of section 119.36 [rule B, par. 2, sec. 5, reg. 19], as amended, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

(b) *Test; conditions under which to be declared "satisfactory for potency"*.—A serum test will be declared "satisfactory for potency" when at least two of the control pigs react as described in paragraph (a) and any one of the following conditions obtains:

(1) When all the serum-treated pigs remain well throughout the test period.

(2) When one or more of the serum-treated pigs become visibly sick after the time of inoculation and all fully recover before the test animals are released by a veterinary inspector, as provided in this part. Such sick pigs, however, will not be regarded as fully recovered until they have been in an apparently normal condition for at least three consecutive days.

This amendment, which for purpose of identification is designated Amendment 16 to B. A. I. Order 276, shall be effective on and after March 24, 1942.

Done at Washington this 21st day of March 1942. Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

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Acting Secretary of Agriculture.



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